

**IN THE CLAIMS:**

Claim 1 (canceled);

2 (currently amended). A portable mooring dock for a boat ~~as described in claim 1, wherein~~ comprising:

boat connectors being fastenable to a boat;

a boat mooring assembly being attached to said boat connectors,  
and including elongate support members and elongate cross member, and  
also including ground securement members for securing said elongate  
support members to a ground, each of said boat connectors ~~includes~~  
including a shaft, and also ~~includes~~ including a U-shaped bracket member  
being attached to said shaft and having grommet members being attached  
to ends of said U-shaped bracket member, and further ~~includes~~ including  
a tether and a fastener being attached to said tether and being removably  
received through said grommet members to fasten said U-shaped bracket  
member to a respective eyelet being attached to the boat; and

a floatation assembly being connected to said boat mooring  
assembly to facilitate floatation of said boat mooring assembly.

3 (original). The portable mooring dock for a boat as described in  
claim 2, wherein said elongate support members are connected to said  
boat connector and include two sets of said elongate support members  
with said elongate support members of each of said two sets of said  
elongate support members being connected end to end.

4 (original). The portable mooring dock for a boat as described in  
claim 3, wherein each of said two sets of said elongate support members  
includes a first elongate tubular member having first and second ends  
with said shaft of a respective said boat connector being securely  
received in said first end of said first elongate tubular member, and also  
includes a second elongate tubular member being hingedly attached to

said first elongate tubular member, and further includes a third elongate tubular member being hingedly attached to said second elongate tubular member, and also includes a ground securement tubular member being hingedly attached to said third elongate tubular member.

5 (original). The portable mooring dock for a boat as described in claim 4, wherein said elongate cross members includes two sets of said elongate cross members interconnecting said two sets of said elongate support members.

6 (original). The portable mooring dock for a boat as described in claim 5, wherein each of said two sets of said elongate cross members includes first and second tubular cross members being hingedly attached to one another at first ends thereof and being fastened at second ends thereof to said elongate support members, and having holes being disposed therethrough near said second ends thereof.

7 (original). The portable mooring dock for a boat as described in claim 6, wherein said boat mooring assembly further includes cross member connectors being attached to and extending outwardly from said elongate support members and having bores extending therethrough, said cross member connectors being fastenably and removably received in said second ends of said first and second tubular cross members.

8 (original). The portable mooring dock for a boat as described in claim 7, wherein said boat mooring assembly also includes grommets being securely attached to second ends of said ground securement tubular members.

9 (original). The portable mooring dock for a boat as described in

claim 8, wherein said ground securement members include stakes being removably received in said grommets and being removably penetrated in the ground.

10 (original). The portable mooring dock for a boat as described in claim 9, wherein said boat mooring assembly further includes first linkage members being pivotally attached to said second ends of said first elongate tubular members and to first ends of said second elongate tubular members, and also includes second linkage members being pivotally attached to said first ends of said first and second tubular cross members, said first and second elongate tubular members being foldable upon one another for compact storing thereof, said first and second tubular cross members being foldable upon one another also for compact storing thereof.

11 (original). The portable mooring dock for a boat as described in claim 10, wherein said boat mooring assembly also includes first brackets being hingedly attached to second ends of said second elongate tubular members and to first ends of said third elongate tubular members, and also includes second brackets being hingedly attached to second ends of said third elongate tubular members and to first ends of said ground securement tubular members.

12 (original). The portable mooring dock for a boat as described in claim 11, wherein said boat mooring assembly further includes flexible lines being attached to said elongate cross members, and also includes flexible pin fastening members being attached to ends of said flexible lines, and further includes pins being attached to said flexible pin fastening members and being removably received through holes of said first and second tubular cross members and through said bores of said

cross member connectors and through holes in said first and second brackets and said third elongate and said ground securement tubular members, said first and second elongate tubular members being foldable upon said third elongate tubular member and said third elongate tubular member being foldable upon said ground securement tubular member.

13 (original). The portable mooring dock for a boat as described in claim 12, wherein said floatation assembly includes cords being attached to said elongate support members, and also includes floatation members being attached to said cords

14 (original). The portable mooring dock for a boat as described in claim 13, wherein each of said floatation members includes a balloon-shaped member and also includes a tongue member being attached to said balloon-shaped member and having an eyelet with a respective said cord being connected to said eyelet.